

Press Release

Praksons Extracts India Private Limited

June 16, 2021



Rating Withdrawn

Total Bank Facilities Rated	Rs. 13.50 Cr.#
Long Term Rating	ACUITE B+ (Withdrawn; Issuer not co-operating*)

refer Annexure for details

* The issuer did not co-operate; based on best available information.

Rating Rationale

Acuité has withdrawn the long-term rating to '**ACUITE B+**' (**read as ACUITE B plus**) on the Rs.13.50 crore bank facilities of Praksons Extracts India Private Limited. The rating withdrawal is in accordance with Acuité's policy on withdrawal of rating. The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating".

The rating is being withdrawn on account of request received from the company and NOC received from the banker.

Incorporated in February, 2016, Praksons Extracts India Pvt Ltd (PEIPL) is setting up 2400 tons per annum of Curcumin extraction and 240 tons per annum of other spices extraction plant in Hubli, Karnataka with a total project cost of Rs.14.50 crores. The company is promoted and managed by Mr. Prakash Jain and Mr. Amit Jain. Promoters have more than three decades of experience in pharmacy. They own and run one of the largest retail shops in Pharmaceuticals in Hubli in the name of 'Pharmacy – The Medicine House' and 'Suraj Pharma'.

Non-cooperation by the issuer/borrower

Acuité has been requesting for data, information and undertakings from the rated entity for conducting surveillance & review of the rating. However, the issuer / borrower failed to submit such information before due date.

Acuité believes that information risk is a critical component in such ratings, and non-cooperation by the issuer along with unwillingness to provide information could be a sign of potential deterioration in its overall credit quality

Applicable Criteria

- Default Recognition - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm>
- Manufacturing Entities - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-59.htm>

Limitation regarding information availability

The rating is based on information available from sources other than the issuer / borrower (in the absence of information provided by the issuer / borrower). Acuité endeavoured to gather information about the entity / industry from the public domain. Therefore, Acuité cautions lenders and investors regarding the use of such information, on which the indicative credit rating is based.

Liquidity Position

No information provided by the issuer/ available for Acuité to comment upon.

Rating Sensitivities

No information provided by the issuer/ available for Acuité to comment upon.

About the Rated Entity - Key Financials

The rated entity has not shared the latest financial statements despite repeated requests.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA (if applicable)

None

Any other information

Acuité is yet to receive the latest No Default Statement (NDS) from the rated entity, despite repeated requests and follow-ups.

Rating History (Upto last three years)

Date	Name of Instrument / Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Ratings/Outlook
25-Sept-2020	Term Loan	Long Term	11.00	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
	Cash Credit	Long Term	2.50	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
01-July-2019	Term Loan	Long Term	11.00	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
	Cash Credit	Long Term	2.50	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
04-Jun-2018	Term Loan	Long Term	11.00	ACUITE B+ / Stable (Assigned)
	Cash Credit	Long Term	2.50	ACUITE B+ / Stable (Assigned)

*Annexure – Details of instruments rated

Name of the Facilities	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. Crore)	Ratings/Outlook
Term Loan	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	11.00	ACUITE B+ (Withdrawn; Issuer not co-operating*)
Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	2.50	ACUITE B+ (Withdrawn; Issuer not co-operating*)

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